

PATENT (1309)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Jean-Luc RENAUD-BEZOT et al.

Group Art Unit: 3641

Serial No.: 09/912,601

Examiner: Troy Chambers

Filed: July 26, 2001

For: EXPLOSIVE AMMUNITION WITH FRAGMENTING STRUCTURE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified application. The shortened statutory period having expired March 12, 2003, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for one (1) month. There is also attached our Check No. 6415 in the amount of \$110.00 in payment for:

XX Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to \$1.136(a) (\$110.00) [\$55.00].

Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$410.00) [\$205.00].

Extension fee for response within third month pursuant to \$1.136(a) (\$930.00) [\$465.00].

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 16-0331. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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